

A small complex of 19th Century frame buildings appear here in the mid 19th century on the Road from Lancaster to Bald Friar Ferry. In fact, there were many of these drover's routes which spurred development along these roads. A store operated across the road on the Grubb Property and an office on this property which was owned by J. McCullough in 1877. The buildings are typical mid 19th Century two story three bay by one room structures.

MARYLAND HISTORICAL TRUST

INVENTORY FORM FOR STATE HISTORIC SITES SURVEY

FILE # 815

1 NAME

HISTORIC

AND/OR COMMON

Wolf Property

2 LOCATION

STREET & NUMBER

R. D. #1

CITY, TOWN

Conowingo

VICINITY OF

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

1

STATE

Maryland

COUNTY

Cecil

3 CLASSIFICATION

CATEGORY

- DISTRICT
- BUILDING(S)
- STRUCTURE
- SITE
- OBJECT

OWNERSHIP

- PUBLIC
- PRIVATE
- BOTH

PUBLIC ACQUISITION

- IN PROCESS
- BEING CONSIDERED

STATUS

- OCCUPIED
- UNOCCUPIED
- WORK IN PROGRESS

ACCESSIBLE

- YES: RESTRICTED
- YES: UNRESTRICTED
- NO

PRESENT USE

- AGRICULTURE
- MUSEUM
- COMMERCIAL
- PARK
- EDUCATIONAL
- PRIVATE RESIDENCE
- ENTERTAINMENT
- RELIGIOUS
- GOVERNMENT
- SCIENTIFIC
- INDUSTRIAL
- TRANSPORTATION
- MILITARY
- OTHER:

4 OWNER OF PROPERTY

NAME

Donald Wolf

Telephone #: 378-2766

STREET & NUMBER

R. D. #1

CITY, TOWN

Conowingo

VICINITY OF

STATE, zip code

Maryland 21918

5 LOCATION OF LEGAL DESCRIPTION

COURTHOUSE,
REGISTRY OF DEEDS, ETC.

Clerk of the Circuit Court

Liber #: WAS 316

Folio #: 176

STREET & NUMBER

Cecil County Court House

CITY, TOWN

Elkton

STATE

Maryland

6 REPRESENTATION IN EXISTING SURVEYS

TITLE

DATE

FEDERAL STATE COUNTY LOCAL

DEPOSITORY FOR
SURVEY RECORDS

CITY, TOWN

STATE

7 DESCRIPTION

CONDITION		CHECK ONE	CHECK ONE
<input type="checkbox"/> EXCELLENT	<input type="checkbox"/> DETERIORATED	<input type="checkbox"/> UNALTERED	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ORIGINAL SITE
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> GOOD	<input type="checkbox"/> RUINS	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ALTERED	<input type="checkbox"/> MOVED DATE _____
<input type="checkbox"/> FAIR	<input type="checkbox"/> UNEXPOSED		

DESCRIBE THE PRESENT AND ORIGINAL (IF KNOWN) PHYSICAL APPEARANCE

WOLF PROPERTY

The Wolf property circa 1860 is located just north of St. Patrick's Church and south of Redhill Road. The property has two frame houses and some barn buildings. The main two story house faces West and on a north/south axis while the smaller two story probable tenant house faces south and on a east/west axis.

The two and one-half story hall/parlor main block is three bays across by one room deep. The structure rests on an uncoursed fieldstone foundation and is totally sheathed with aluminum siding over weatherboard. The low pitched roof is covered with composition tile. The eaves are extended with a short return on the gable ends. An "L" addition is attached to the East side along with shed additions to it. A single story shead roof porch extends across the main facade.

The main facade has symmetrical fenestration with an entrance in the central bay. The window sash is six-over-six on the second floor and a replaced one-over-one on the first. The front door has a three light transom overhead. The late 19th Century door has a glazed panel above the lockrail. The front porch roof is supported by square piers with decorative corner brackets. The north end is devoid of much detail other than an oval window in the western bay. The south facade has a six-over-six light on each floor.

Entrance was not permitted in this case but not particularly important due to its altered state.

The second frame structure is a much smaller house with four bays across the south facade and one room deep. The house rests on an uncoursed stone foundation and is covered with weatherboards. The medium sloped slate roof has extended eaves. There is a central stretcher bond stove stack. The main facade fenestration is symmetrical with nine-over-six sash windows on the first floor and six-over-six on the second. The trim is plain. Entrances are located in the central two bays. The eastern six panel door has a three light transom while the other entrance has a four panel door. A two bay shed roof protects the two entrances and is supported by square piers.

The interior is very plain with a winder stair in the northwest corner of the west room. The first and second floors are divided into two rooms.

Located adjacent to both structures is a 19th Century barn and root cellar.

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8 SIGNIFICANCE

PERIOD	AREAS OF SIGNIFICANCE -- CHECK AND JUSTIFY BELOW			
<input type="checkbox"/> PREHISTORIC	<input type="checkbox"/> ARCHEOLOGY-PREHISTORIC	<input type="checkbox"/> COMMUNITY PLANNING	<input type="checkbox"/> LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE	<input type="checkbox"/> RELIGION
<input type="checkbox"/> 1400-1499	<input type="checkbox"/> ARCHEOLOGY-HISTORIC	<input type="checkbox"/> CONSERVATION	<input type="checkbox"/> LAW	<input type="checkbox"/> SCIENCE
<input type="checkbox"/> 1500-1599	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> AGRICULTURE	<input type="checkbox"/> ECONOMICS	<input type="checkbox"/> LITERATURE	<input type="checkbox"/> SCULPTURE
<input type="checkbox"/> 1600-1699	<input type="checkbox"/> ARCHITECTURE	<input type="checkbox"/> EDUCATION	<input type="checkbox"/> MILITARY	<input type="checkbox"/> SOCIAL/HUMANITARIAN
<input type="checkbox"/> 1700-1799	<input type="checkbox"/> ART	<input type="checkbox"/> ENGINEERING	<input type="checkbox"/> MUSIC	<input type="checkbox"/> THEATER
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1800-1899	<input type="checkbox"/> COMMERCE	<input type="checkbox"/> EXPLORATION/SETTLEMENT	<input type="checkbox"/> PHILOSOPHY	<input type="checkbox"/> TRANSPORTATION
<input type="checkbox"/> 1900-	<input type="checkbox"/> COMMUNICATIONS	<input type="checkbox"/> INDUSTRY	<input type="checkbox"/> POLITICS/GOVERNMENT	<input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (SPECIFY)
		<input type="checkbox"/> INVENTION		

SPECIFIC DATES

BUILDER/ARCHITECT

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE¹

The Wolf property retains some architectural significance since it forms a ~~wide~~ complex of buildings that rarely survive. In fact, the owners mentioned they may tear down the tenant house.

The main house has lost most of its 19th Century character except for a few details. There is a small cross-roads at the corner of this property and a store operated across the street in 1877. The word "Office" also appears on the map and may refer to the tenant house structure. A J. McCullough seems to have owned the property in 1877 and Milton Alexander in 1858.

9 MAJOR BIBLIOGRAPHICAL REFERENCES

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10 GEOGRAPHICAL DATA

ACREAGE OF NOMINATED PROPERTY _____

VERBAL BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION

LIST ALL STATES AND COUNTIES FOR PROPERTIES OVERLAPPING STATE OR COUNTY BOUNDARIES

STATE

COUNTY

STATE

COUNTY

11 FORM PREPARED BY

NAME / TITLE

Paul B. Touart, Historic Sites Surveyor

ORGANIZATION

Cecil County Committee

DATE

6/27/78

STREET & NUMBER

Cecil County Court House

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CITY OR TOWN

Elkton

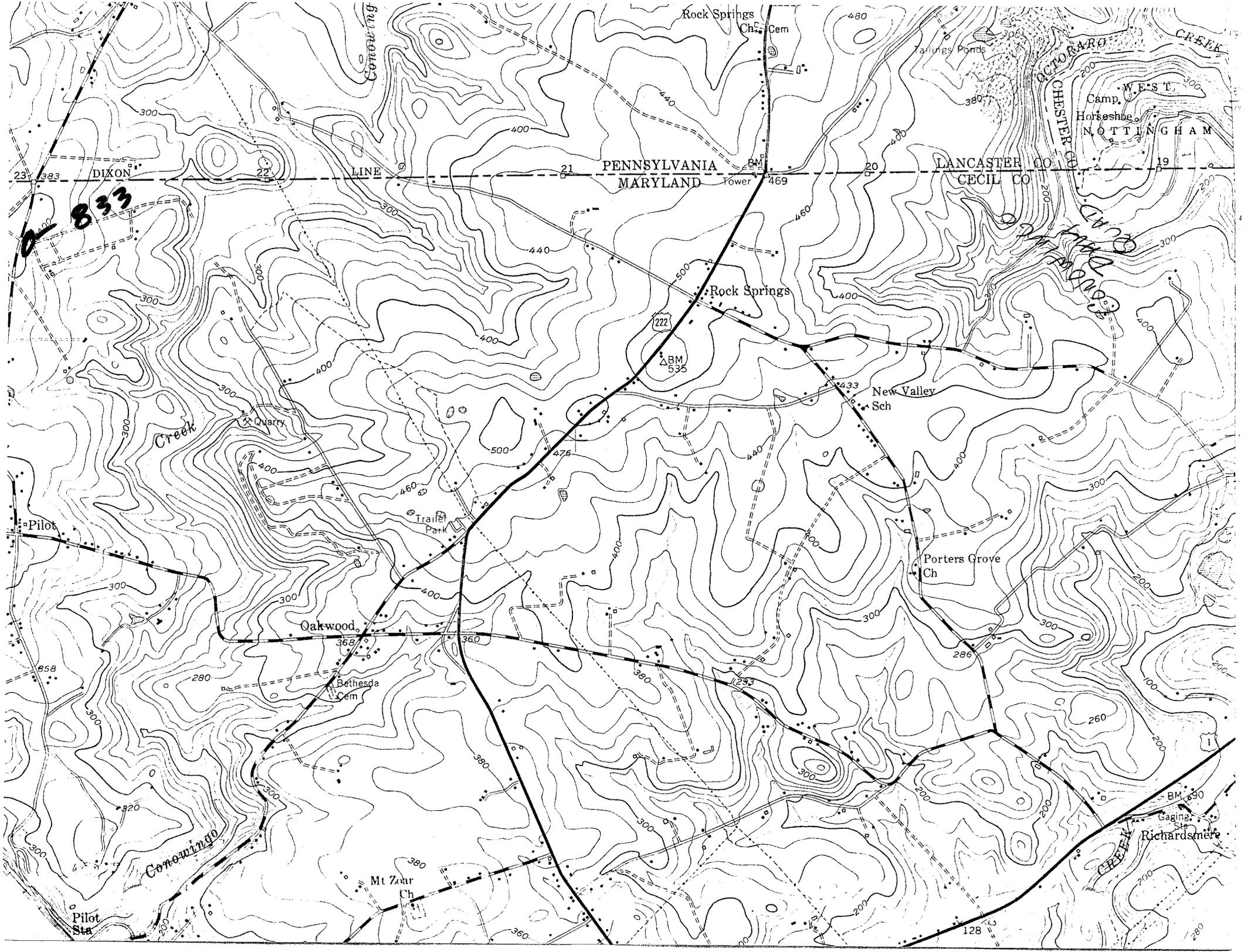
STATE

Maryland

The Maryland Historic Sites Inventory was officially created by an Act of the Maryland Legislature, to be found in the Annotated Code of Maryland, Article 41, Section 181 KA, 1974 Supplement.

The Survey and Inventory are being prepared for information and record purposes only and do not constitute any infringement of individual property rights.

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WOLF PROPERTY
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WOLF HOUSE

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MEG. MD. HIST. TRUST



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WOLF PROPERTY

EAST ELEVATION

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SOUTH ELEVATION

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PILOT TOWN, MD.

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